**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

B.C.W. DEPT. – Establishment of Andhra Pradesh State Economically Backward Classes Welfare and Development Corporation under Companies Act, 2013 – Orders – Issued.

---

**BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE (B) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Ms.No.14** **DATED:19 -7-2018**.

**Read the following** :-

1. G.O.RT NO. 174, BCW (B) Dept., Dated: 7.12.2017
2. From the Director, B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada Lr. Rc.No. G/1670/2017, Dated: 6.3.2018.
3. Govt.Memo.No.932/B/A2/2017, Dated: 19.3.2018.
4. From the Director, B.C. Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada Lr. Rc. No.G /1670/2017, Dated: 22.3.2018.

-.-

O R D E R :-

The Economically Backward Classes (EBCs) is a category of below poverty line people having annual income less than Rs.60,000/- in rural areas and Rs.75,000/- in urban areas and who do not belong to any disadvantaged social category such as SC/ST/BC.

2. The Economically Backward Class (EBCs) are facing problems to compete with financially progressed advanced communities in the areas of education and economic development. Further, EBCs do not own land for cultivation though the main profession of this community is agriculture compelling them to live in poverty and in urban area also they are confined to unorganized sectors which are not yielding in sustained source of livelihood. Thus, the economic disparity is resulting in social and economic unrest.

3. As a first step towards the welfare of Economically Backward Class (EBCs), Government have provided 6% of seats in Pre-matric BC Hostels and 2% of seats in BC Residential Schools for pursuing elementary & secondary education and implementing the scheme of Re-imbursement of Tuition Fee to students studying in Polytechnic course(s), Graduation Course(s) and Post Graduate course(s) on saturation basis.

4. In addition to above, in order to take up the welfare measures for the benefit of EBCs, the Government have allotted budget for welfare of Economically Backward Communities in the B.E. 2017-18 with an objective to provide economic support schemes to poor EBC communities (other than SC/ST/BC/ Kapu/ Minority/Christian/Brahmin communities) .

5. Accordingly, Government have issued orders permitting the Director,

(P.T.O.)

Backward Classes Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada to utilize the budget allocated for implementation of the following schemes for welfare of Economically Backward Communities vide G.O. 1st read above :-

a) Skill development & Training;
b) Bank linked Economic Support Programmes;
c) The Scheme of providing financial assistance to Meritorious Economically Backward Class students for overseas studies;
d) Scheme of providing financial assistance for coaching for UPSC Civil Service Examination and other Competitive Examinations.

6. To implement the above schemes, as ordered in the G.O. 1st read above, the Director, Backward Classes Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada has submitted proposals to Government to establish "Andhra Pradesh State Economically Backward Classes Welfare and Development Corporation" under Companies Act, 2013.

7. Government after careful examination of the entire matter, have decided to establish "Andhra Pradesh State Economically Backward Classes Welfare and Development Corporation" to provide economic support schemes to poor EBC communities (other than SC/ST/BC/ Kapu/ Minority/Christian/Brahmin communities) under Companies Act, 2013 .

8. Accordingly, Government hereby establish "Andhra Pradesh State Economically Backward Classes Welfare and Development Corporation" to provide economic support schemes to poor EBC communities (other than SC/ST/BC/ Kapu/ Minority/Christian/Brahmin communities) .

9. The Director, Backward Classes Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada shall take further action under Companies Act, 2013.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**B. UDAYA LAKSHMI,**
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To:
The Director, Backward Classes Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
Copy to :-
General Administration (Cabinet) Department
Finance (FMU-WEL-II) Dept.
PS to Secy. To C.M.
OSD to M(BCW)
P.S. to Chief Secretary
PS to Prl. Secy., BCW
Sf/sc.

**//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//**

**SECTION OFFICER.**